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CAMPAIGN FINANCE DIVISION

⊠ WAIVER REQUEST □ RECONSIDERATION REQUEST

DATE: 9/3/2020 DOCKET #:

FILER INFORMATION

Name: Alvin "Shark" St. Pierre, Jr. Office: Councilman, District 1

Parish: ST. JAMES

Election Date: 10/12/2019

Level of Office: Any

REPORT INFORMATION

Name of Report: 10-G

Original Due Date: 11/6/2019

Date Filed: 1/6/2020 Activity Receipts: \$500

Expenditures: \$2181.20

Funds at Close of Reporting Period: \$238.88

LATE FEE INFORMATION

Amount of Late Fee: \$1000

Days Late: 61

Late Fee Order Received: 7/23/2020

Payment/Waiver Request Due Date: 8/12/2020

Waiver Request Received: 8/10/2020 Additional Information Requested:

- Medical- Financial- Other

COMMENTS: Please note that in his 23 years of public service, he has never accepted campaign donations from the public or any other third party. This past election cycle was the first instance in which he has accepted any campaign donations, which totaled \$2,950.00. Therefore, prior to this past election cycle, he never had to file a Campaign Finance Disclosure Report. He did not have a clear understanding of the filing requirements and any mistake which was made was certainly unintentional. He has disbursed all of the funds in his campaign account following his re-election as he does not intend on running for public office after this term. He has always strived to be the best public servant possible and to abide by any campaign finance requirements for public officials.

OTHER LATE FEE INFORMATION

Campaign Finance:

Other Outstanding Reports: Yes - Amendment

Other Outstanding Late Fees: No

Prior Late Fees: No

Reassessed Late Fees: No

Disclosure Statements:

Other Outstanding Late Fees: No

Prior Late Fees: No

ALVIN J. ST. PIERRE, JR. ST. JAMES PARISH COUNCILMAN DISTRICT 1

August 6, 2020

VIA CERTIFIED MAIL RRR

Louisiana Board of Ethics P.O. Box 4368 Baton Rouge, LA 70821

RE: Late Fee Assessment - Request for Waiver

Dear Sir/Madam:

My name is Alvin St. Pierre, Jr., and I am the District 1 Councilman for the Parish of St. James. I received a Notice of Late Fee Assessment for the October 12, 2019 election.

Please note that in my 23 years of public service, I have never accepted campaign donations from the public or any other third party. This past election cycle was the first instance in which I have accepted any campaign donations, which totaled \$2,950.00. Therefore, prior to this past election cycle, I never had to file a Campaign Finance Disclosure Report. I did not have a clear understanding of the filing requirements and any mistake which was made was certainly unintentional. I have disbursed all of the funds in my campaign account following my re-election as I do not intend on running for public office after this term. I have always strived to be the best public servant possible and to abide by any campaign finance requirements for public officials.

Please accept this correspondence as a formal request for waiver of the \$1,000.00 late fee assessment or alternatively to reduce said fee accordingly. I would appreciate any consideration. I am truly sorrow for any inconvenience this may have caused.

Alvin J. St. Pierre, Jr

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